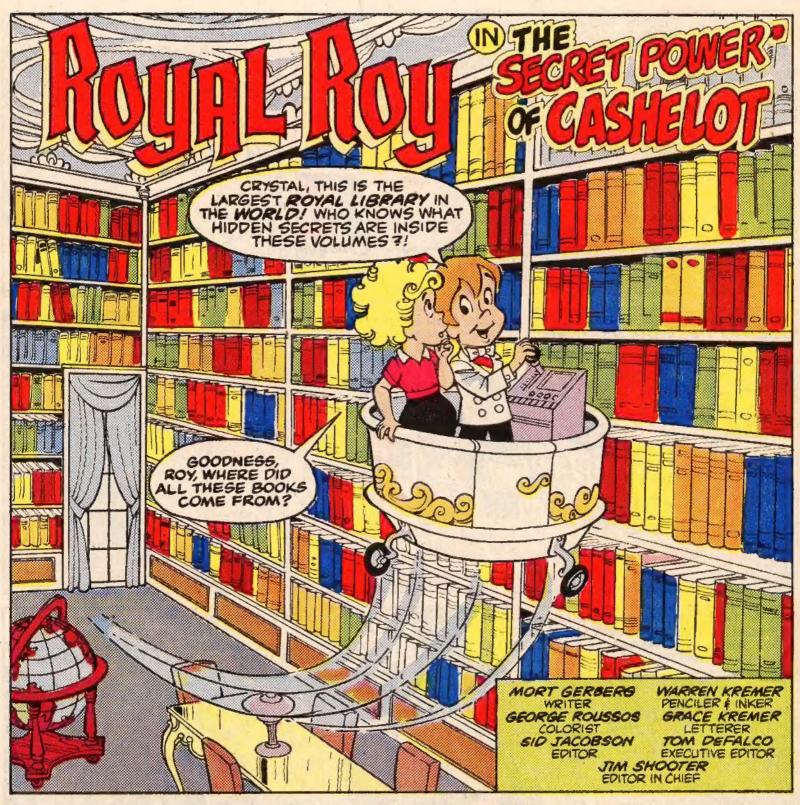


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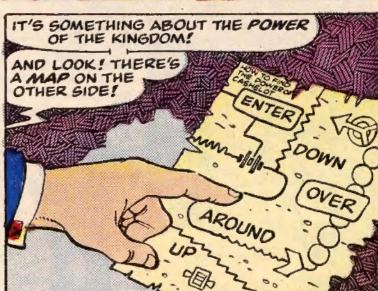






























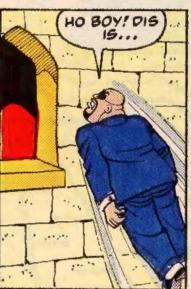


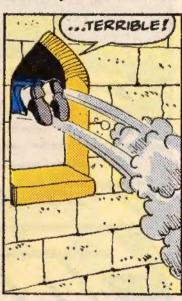


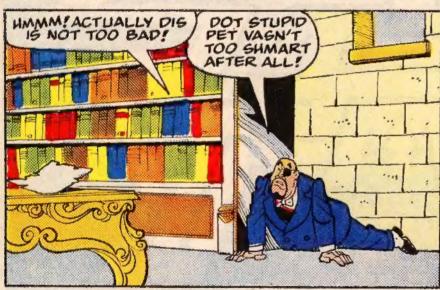




























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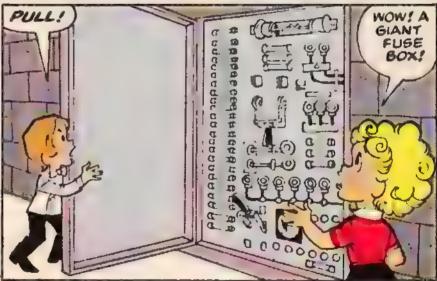
















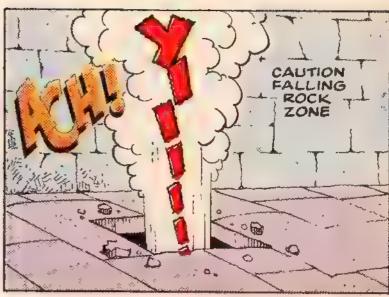


How most mouths feel about Twizzlers.

"It's chewy and juicy and yummy and fruity. And that's all I have to say 'cause I'm going to eat my Twizzlers candy now."



















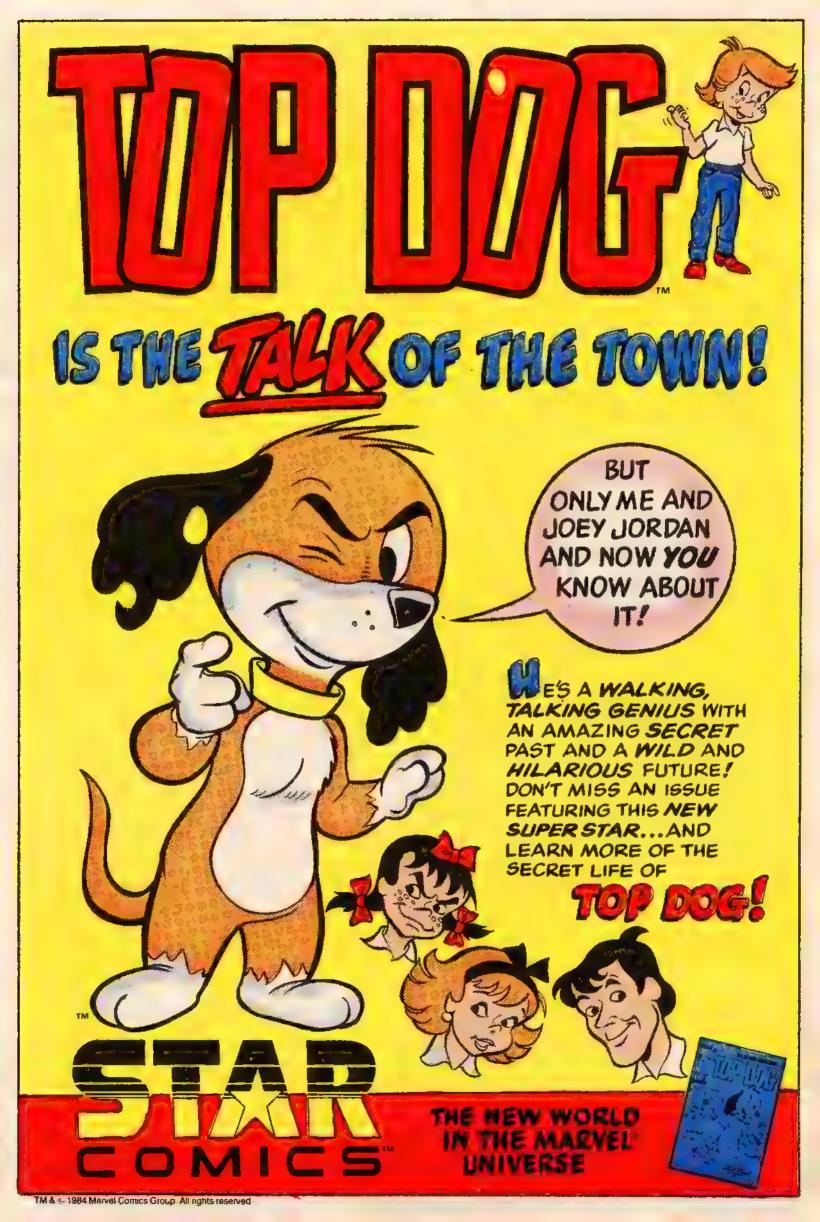




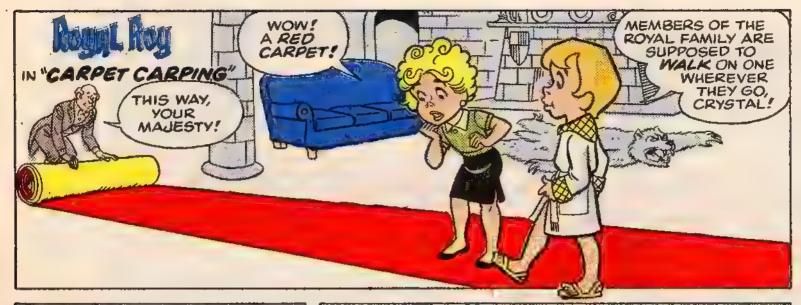






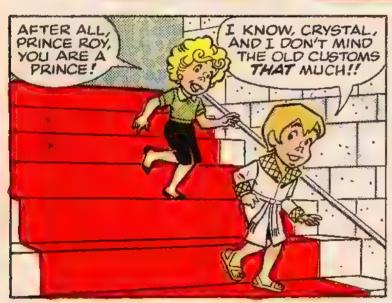




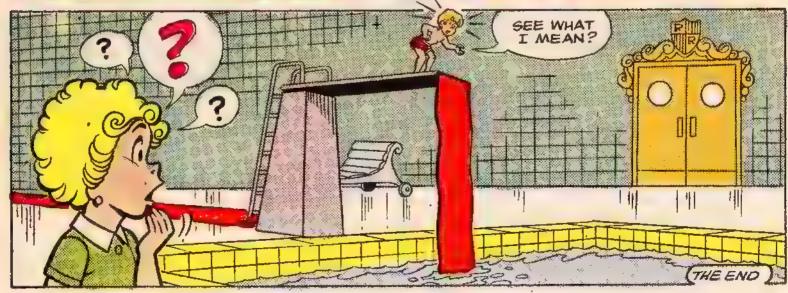


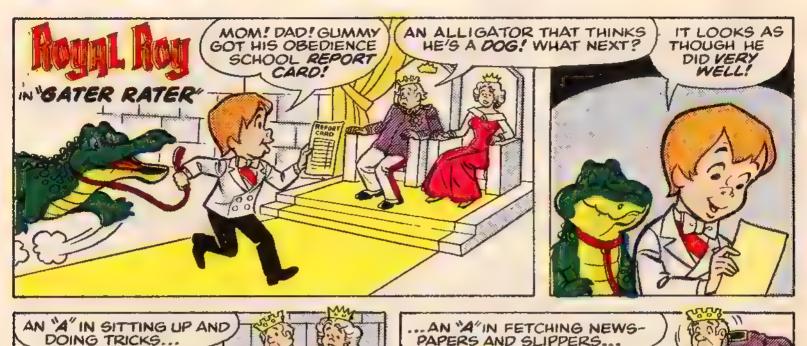










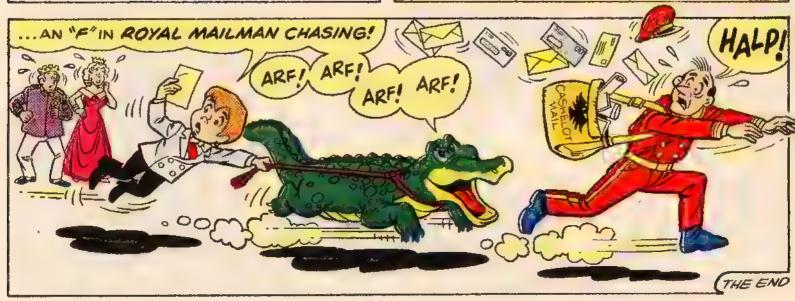












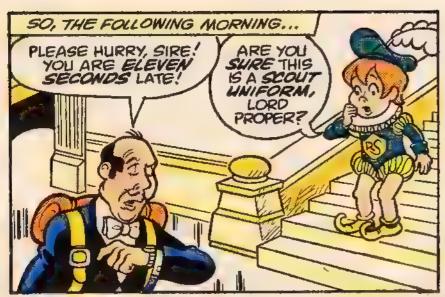














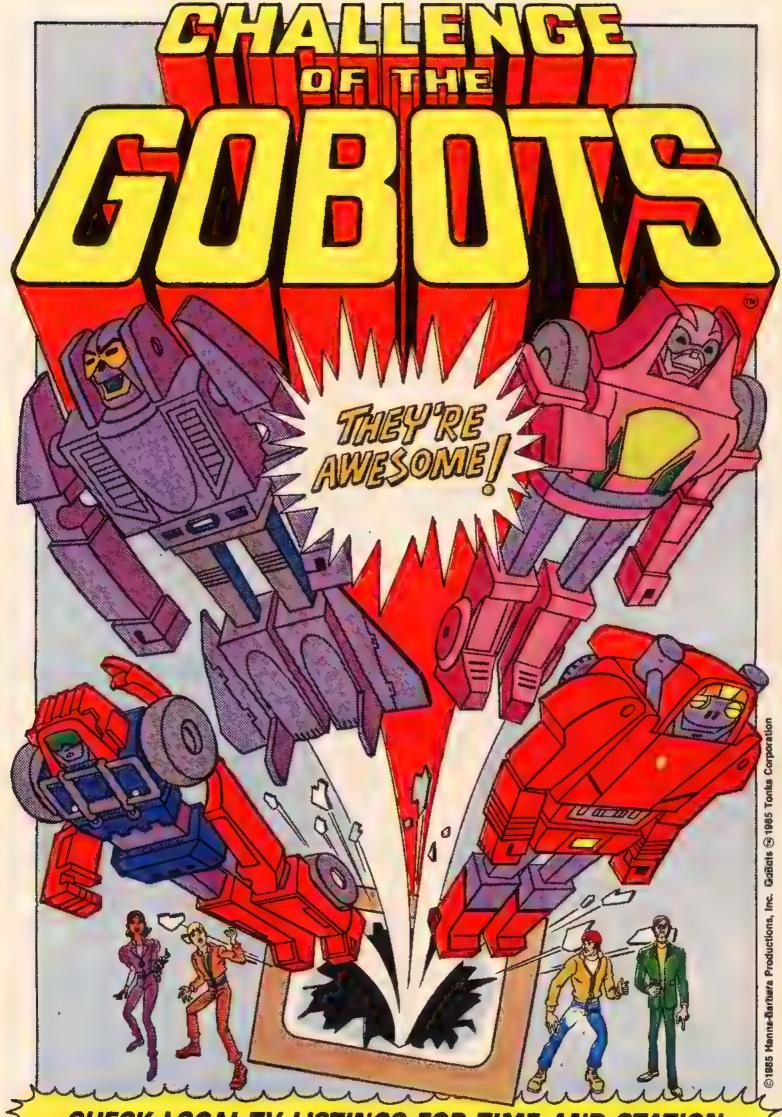










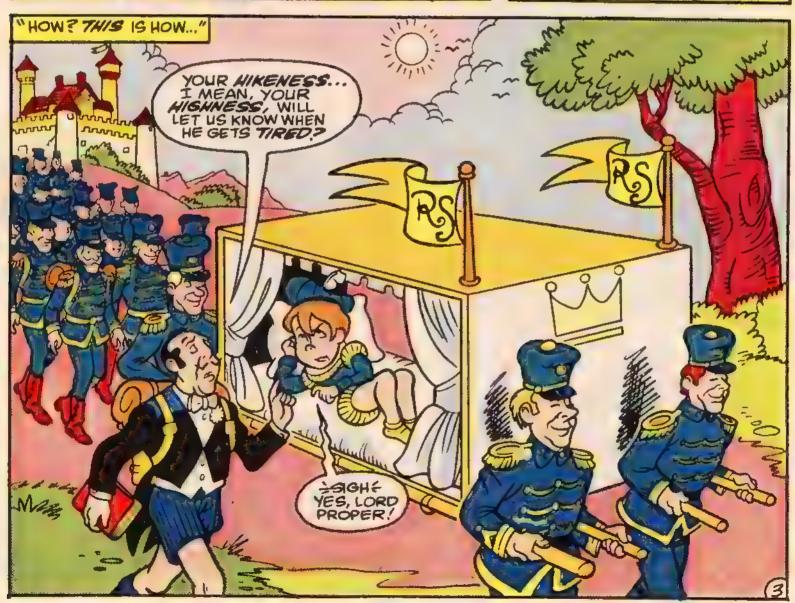


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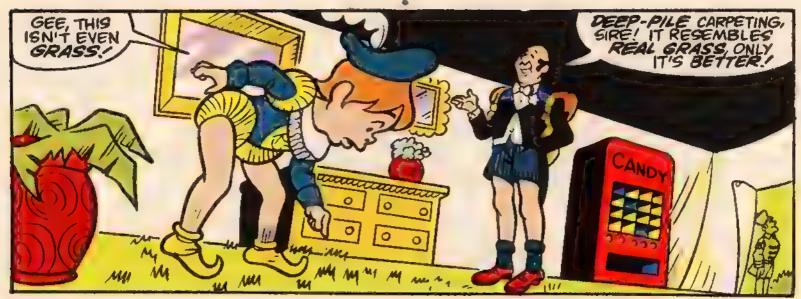


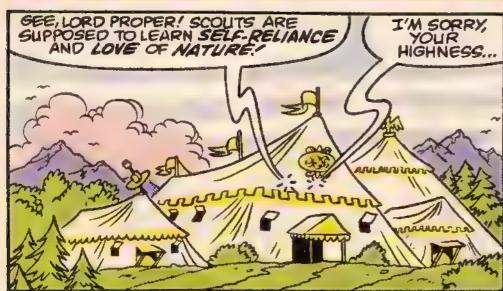




































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SWINGING ON WITH STAR!

***** It's me, again. I'll bet you think it's a real blast being the Executive Editor of Star Comics You're probably convinced that I really enjoy spending most of my time working on the full color adventures of guys like Heathcliff, Thundercats, Spider-Ham and the Care Bears.

Well, you re right.

I really love my work. I have the greatest lob in the whole world. People actually pay me to read comic books. Can you believe it?

This is what I've always wanted to do For me, it's a dream come true. A dream which began many years ago . .

THE DAY TOM STARTED DREAMING!

***** I don't remember the exact year or month. I think I was maybe eleven or twelve years old at the time. There was snow on the ground, and it must have been a Saturday afternoon because I wasn't at school. The thing I remember most was that I was bored. I wanted something interesting to happen. I was in the mood for adventure.

So. I went to the local soda shop, and checked their comic book rack. It was one

THE BLANET TERRY #11.

of those big spinning things.

I began flipping through the rack, desperately hoping to find something excring to read. Suddenty, I noticed a flaming

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figure on one of the covers. He was the Human Torch, and it was the cover of Fantastic Four #3. A few minutes later, I spotted the Torch on another cover-Fantastic Four #4.

Needless to say, I bought both comics , and they were great! The most exciting comics I had ever seen!

TOM'S DREAM!

**** That's the day I started to dream. What did I dream about? Well, I wanted to write comic books! I guess I'm a very lucky person. Ever since I was eleven or twelve years old. I've always known what I wanted to do with my life. I've had to work real hard to get here, but it was all worth it. I'm very happy here at Star Comics and I'm glad that I get to share my happiness with you.

DO YOU DREAM?

**** I'm sure a lot of people have asked you what you want to be when you grow up Maybe you already have a dream. Maybe you don't If you do, work hard for it Don't let anything stop you from trying to reach it. My dream came true, maybe yours will too.

Maybe you don't have a dream yet. Don't worry it will come . . . someday in the meantime, you can try a lot of different dreams . . . until you find one which fits

, which suits you perfectly. Experiment! Try different things, and keep an open mind! You Il know your dream when it hits you. Maybe you'll be a doctor, an astronaut, an actor or a teacher. Whatever it is, I wish you luck!

JUST A THOUGHT!

***** There's always a chance that you share my dream. Maybe you re eleven or twelve years old right now. Maybe you just picked up a few Star Comics, and think they're the greatest things you've ever seen. Maybe someday, you'll be writing a column like this. If that's your dream, you'd better start working toward it. Read as many books as you can—real books as well as comics. Study hard in school Ask your teachers to show you how to draw or write stories. Go for it!

By the way, if you ever do break into comics, stop by and say helio. I really

enjoy talking to dreamers
That's all for now! Until my next Star Signals . . .

MIGHTCRAWLER (Limited Series)

Thanks for being there!

Tom DeFalco, STA.R. **Executive Editor**

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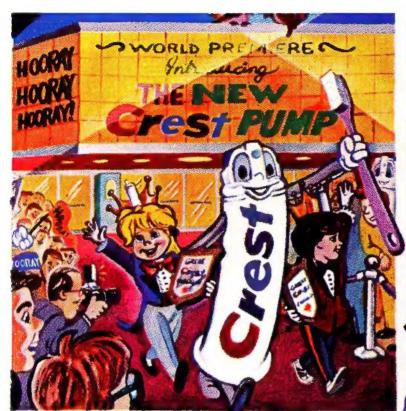




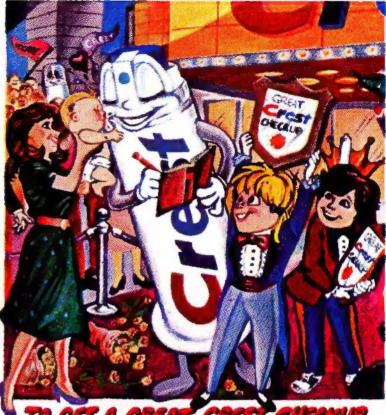








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